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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :

AKIHIKO YONEYA : EXAMINER: PHAN

SERIAL NO: 10/511,830 :

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FOR: IMAGE SIGNAL CANCEL TYPE HETERODYNE RECEPTION METHOD AND DIRECT CONVERSION ORTHOGONAL FREQUENCY DIVISION MULTIPLEX

RECEPTION METHOD

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the election requirement dated October 27, 2008, Applicant elects, without traverse, the species of Embodiment 2, identified in the Office Action as corresponding to Fig. 8, for further examination on the merits. Applicant identifies Claims 16-21 as readable on the elected species. Applicant reserves the right to file one or more divisional applications directed to the non-elected species.

Therefore, it is respectfully requested a full examination on the merits of Claims 16-21 be conducted.

Respectfully submitted,

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